

Hillsdale Notes.

The ball room at Douglass Hall, at Hillsdale, D. C., presented a brilliant spectacle Friday evening December 29. The occasion being the first full dress ball ever given at Douglass Hall and the decorations, composed of evergreen flags, and the sweet faces of fair damsels. The sweet music of Prof. B. T. Holmes' Orchestra made the ball floor a scene of ever-changing beauty. The attendance was quite large. Among those present were Messrs. Henry Sayler, Charles Edelin, John Brice, Laurence Ellis, Robert Taylor, Ithaca, N. Y., Robert Johnson, Germantown, Pa., Wm. Ford Howard University, Chas. Jackson, Wm. E. Stewart, A. Clark, Germantown, Pa. J. W. Williams, J. W. Williams, Jr., John Moss, Thos. Fortune; Mesdames W. K. Scott, R. F. Plummer, R. H. Lewis, J. H. Taylor, Ithaca, N. Y., A. Clark, Germantown, Pa., J. W. Williams, Thos. Fortune, Drs. W. K. Scott, Wm. E. Gales, R. F. Plummer; Misses Mabel Williams, Emma Edelin, Nannie Johnson, Annapolis, Lizzie Wills, Eleanor Robinson, F. Lawnes, Emma Bentley, Elizabeth Wells. Supper was served at ten o'clock pm., dancing until 12 pm.

EDUCATIONAL NOTE.

There are today 40,000 negro students in the higher educational institutions of this country.

The colored teachers of Fayette county (Lexington), Kentucky, have organized themselves into an association.

Profs. W. W. Yates and J. W. Baldwin are voted as two of the best educators in the state of Missouri, and also as true and enthusiastic race men.

Dam rumor has it that Prof. G. N. Grisham, the smart and good looking principal of Lincoln High School, Kansas City, Mo., is to be married at an early date.

The meeting of the Presidents of the schools under the direction of the Freedman's Aid and Southern Educational Society to have been held at Chatsanooga in September, has been postponed until spring.

"The Ohio," published by the students in the printing department of straight University, New Orleans, La., is a neat and meaty college journal. The editorial staff is as follows: John F. Guillaume, editor in chief; Charles H. McGruder and Henderson H. Dunn, associate editors.

Paul Quinn College is doing better this year than common and the attendance on that institution is growing rapidly. In fact the attendance has increased over any preceding years. So much so that President Burgan states that the matter of new buildings is already pressing for attention and will be considered in due time.

Contributions amounting to \$100,000 resulted from the December public meeting held in Madison Square Garden, New York, in the interest of Tuskegee Institute. In the absence of ex-President Cleveland, the Hon. Carl Schurz presided over the meeting. The securing of the \$500,000 endowment is practically assured.

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